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BEFORE THE  
PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION OF WISCONSIN

Application for Approval of an Interim Services Agreement  
Between American Transmission Company and Wisconsin  
Public Power, Inc.

5-AE-106

**NOTICE OF PROCEEDING  
AND  
INVESTIGATION AND ASSESSMENT OF COSTS**

**THIS IS A PROCEEDING**, pursuant to Wis. Stat. § 196.52, to consider the application of Wisconsin Public Power, Inc. (WPPI) for approval of a service agreement with American Transmission Company, LLC (ATC).

ATC is a “transmission company” organized pursuant to Wis. Stat. §§ 196.485(1)(ge) and (3m). Pursuant to Wis. Stat. § 196.485(3m)(a)1.a., the transmission company must apply to the Commission for all necessary approvals and begin operations no later than January 1, 2001.

Under the proposed agreement, WPPI would provide interim services to ATC that are needed by ATC before the approval of a more comprehensive permanent service agreement that has been filed in a separate docket. Services under this interim agreement will be for the period between the date of approval and the date ATC becomes a “transmission company” and a public utility.

**NOTICE IS GIVEN** that the Commission considers it necessary, in order to carry out its duties, to investigate all books, accounts, practices, and activities of the applicant. The expenses incurred or to be incurred by the Commission which are reasonably attributable to such an investigation will be assessed against and collected from the applicant in accordance with the provisions of Wis. Stat. § 196.85 and Wis. Admin. Code ch. PSC 5.

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Questions regarding this matter may be directed to case coordinator Diane C. Braun at (608) 267-1200.

Dated at Madison, Wisconsin, \_\_\_\_\_

By the Commission:

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Lynda L. Dorr  
Secretary to the Commission

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